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DOCTOR WHO
ADVENTURES
COMIC
A LONG WAY DOWN
WORDS RICHARD COOKSON
ART JOHN ROSS
COLOURING ALAN CRADDOCK
THE TARDIS LANDS IN A FAMILY GARDEN.
POLICE PUBLIC CALL BOX
HELP!
WHAT'S HAPPENING HERE?
MY SISTER ISIS DARED ME TO CLIMB TO THE TOP OF THE TREE BEFORE DAD CHOPS IT DOWN!
TED'S SOOOOO SCARED OF HEIGHTS I HAD TO GO WITH HIM.
BUT WHILE WE WERE CLIMBING UP, THAT WOODLICE MONSTER WAS CLIMBING DOWN!
WELL, WOODLICE AREN'T BIG FANS OF BEING HOT AND DRY - SO IT'S TIME TO TURN UP THE HEAT!
VREEEEE
DOCTOR, WHERE COULD THAT THING HAVE COME FROM?
I'M NOT SURE, BUT I THINK WE'D BETTER CLIMB THAT TREE!

AS THEY CLIMB UP...
IS IT MY IMAGINATION OR IS THIS TREE GETTING BIGGER THE HIGHER WE GO?
LOOK TED, OUR HOUSE HAS CHANGED!
IT LOOKS MORE FUTURISTIC. HOW IS THAT POSSIBLE?
THIS MUST BE A TIME TREE! JUST AS NORMAL TREES GROW UP INTO THE SKY, SO TIME TREES GROW FORWARD THROUGH TIME.
YOU MEAN THE HIGHER WE CLIMB, THE FURTHER WE GO INTO THE FUTURE?
EXACTLY! AND WHO KNOWS WHAT WE'LL FIND AT THE TOP!
CRIKEY – LOOK AT ALL THE WOODLICE MONSTERS LIVING IN OUR TREE!

YEAH, BUT CHECK OUT THEIR TREE HOUSE SKILLS! FOR EVOLVED WOODLICE, THESE FELLAS SEEM PRETTY CIVILISED TO ME. SORRY ABOUT THE SINGE!
SORRY IF I SCARED YOU! MY NAME'S DOODLE.
WE'RE NOT SUPPOSED TO VENTURE DOWN THE TREE, BUT I FELL THROUGH THE BRANCHES AND DAZED MYSELF.
MEANWHILE, AT THE BOTTOM OF THE TREE...
THERE'S NO SIGN OF THE KIDS OUT HERE.
WHICH MEANS IT'S A GOOD TIME TO CHOP THIS UGLY THING DOWN.
CHAK
THE AXE HAS AN UNEXPECTED EFFECT AT THE TOP OF THE TREE!
WOAH!
DOCTOR, WHAT'S HAPPENING?

YOUR DAD MUST ALREADY BE CHOPPING THE TREE DOWN.
AND IF HE CUTS IT DOWN IN THE PAST, IT WILL CEASE TO EXIST HERE IN THE FUTURE!
BUT IT WILL TAKE US AGES TO CLIMB BACK DOWN!
NOT IF YOU USE OUR LEAF-BOATS TO RIDE THE AIR CURRENTS!
BLIPP IT NOW! TO SEE THE LEAF-BOAT FLY!
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WOOHOO!
HOLD ON TIGHT - IF WE DON'T STAY CLOSE TO THE TRUNK WE'LL BE BLOWN AWAY AND LOST IN TIME!
AAAAHH!
WHOA LEAFY!
DAD, STOP!
POLICE PUBLIC CALL BOX
LISTEN, THAT TREE'S GOT A GREAT FUTURE AHEAD OF IT!
SO LEAF WELL ALONE!
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